Attorney Docket No.: **71971-566** 

**PATENT** 

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Customer No. 53080

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Tsuyoshi MATSUSHITA : Confirmation No.: 3649

Application No.: 10/575,098 : Group Art Unit: 2816

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Filed: April 10, 2006 : Examiner: LONG T. NGUYEN

For: LEVEL SHIFT CIRCUIT AND SEMICONDUCTOR

INTEGRATED CIRCUIT INCLUDING THE SAME

## **AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop FEE Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 13, 2009, having a three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on November 13, 2009, a petition for a one month extension of time up to and including December 13, 2009 being filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: